

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is related to U.S. Patent Application No. 09/708,246, filed on

November 7, 2000, and entitled "Dynamic Flat File Systems and Methods for Generating the

Same."--

REMARKS

The Applicant respectfully amends the specification to advise the Office of the related U.S. Patent Application No. 09/708,246, filed on November 7, 2000, and entitled "Dynamic Flat File Systems and Methods for Generating the Same."

The Applicant respectfully requests examination on the merits of the subject application, and respectfully submits that all of the pending claims are in condition for allowance. A notice of allowance is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions concerning the present amendment, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at (408) 749-6903. If any additional fees are due in connection with filing this amendment, the Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. INSTP002). A duplicate copy of the transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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